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SUBJECT: ARAB BOYCOTT

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1. EMBASSY LONDON CONTINUES TO RECEIVE DAILY CALLS FROM BRITISH FIRMS AND AMERICAN SUBSIDIARIES ON HOW TO COPE WITH THE ARAB BOYCOTT UNDER THE NEW US REGULATIONS AND LAWS. THERE ARE A SUBSTANTIAL NUMBER OF COMPANIES OPERATING IN THE UK WHO SELL A SIGNIFICANT VOLUME OF US PRODUCTS TO ARAB COUNTRIES. WE ARE SPENDING CONSIDERABLE TIME WORKING WITH THESE FIRMS TO ENSURE THAT US GOODS CONTINUE TO FLOW TO ARAB COUNTRIES TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT CONSISTENT WITH USG POLICY AND LAW. THE GRAY MACKENZIE CASE REPORTED REFTELS IS AN EXAMPLE OF HOW WE CAN ASSIST FROM LONDON.

2. ACTION REQUESTED. IN ORDER TO MEET THE DEMAND HERE WE NEED 40 COPIES EACH OF THE FOLLOWING:

A. DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY NEWS, NOVEMBER 4, 1976, OR SIMILAR EXPLANATORY MATERIAL ON THE BOYCOTT ASPECTS OF LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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THE TAX REFORM ACT OF 1976; AND

B. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE EXPORT ADMINISTRATION BULLETIN NO 161 (OCTOBER 18, 1976) OR LATER OR SIMILAR BULLETINS ON BOYCOTT REPORTING REQUIREMENTS.

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